## EUTRAL SPIRITS SOLD FOR WHISKY

Two Weeks Required, To Age President Does Not Wish it to Child Labor in South Becomes The Concoction

Charred Barrels and Then is Bill Introduced Making \$12 Minis

Louisville, Dec. 14 .- That raw mpany, who testified at the hear- style. ing held here by the national pure Representative Landis, of the joint commission on spelling had a con-

ternal revenue laws permit a distiller matters of great importance and excharred barrels?"

"From ten days to two weeks. The government allows the distillers o call this product 'whisky,' There hat it is filled."

'Who drinks this sort of whisky?" "It is usually called 'nigger whisky,' and is consumed in large quantitles by the patrons of dives and barrel-houses."

"What does it sell for?" "You can get an ample glass of it for 5 cents."

Three Kinds of Whisky. With the departure of the United ates commission on the Purity of food for Frankfort last evening, the as which have occupied the last

five days came to an end.

No direct statement as to the probable ruling of the commission on the bject of whiskies, straight, rectied or blended, could be obtained. but from the general trend of the discussions among the members it that the commission will recommend be ready to report to the house of came necessary to call for a general to the secretary of agriculture that whisky be designated in the future under three heads. These classificaions will probably be "Whisky," ided Whisky" and "Neutral Spirits and Whisky." The latter term ill apply to the goods turned out by the rectifiers.

The matter of preparing the final initions for the whisky classificaons will not be taken until after the Christmas holidays.

Fees in Tax Cases,

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 14 .- In an se to an Inquiry from Auditor er, Attorney General Hays gives this construction of that section of the new revenue law which provides for the payment of fees in the case of delinquent taxpayers for the county 1907, all interstate railroads shall clerk for issuing the warrants and for the sheriff in making the collections. The attorney general hold by the last legislature, the fee for the clerk for issuing the warrant is 6 per nt, for recording, one cent for every ten words and 25 cents for re leasing the mortgage or redemption also allows 10 cents for indexing each name in the warrant. The sherif is entitled, the attorney genera says, to 6 per cent, on the first \$600 and 3 per cent, on the remainder col-

It takes a woman to do things operly without knowing how.



# SPELLING ORDER STAMINA OF RACE TO BE WITHDRAWN

Overshadow Legislation.

Pension for Soldiers of

Washington, Dec. 14 .- President pirits kept two weeks or less in Roosevelt will withdraw his simpli- ing of the Kentucky Child Labo arred barrels is sold as whisky was fied spelling order to the public association the principal address was admitted today by J. A. Wathen, of printer and hereafter all documents delivered by Dr. A. J. McKelway, of Louisville, au employe of the Ken-ucky Distilleries and Warehouse again be printed in the old-fashioned National Child Labor committee, with again be printed in the old-fashioned National Child Labor committee, with

commission on spelling had a con-Asked if neutral spirits is ever put ference today with the president ato charred barrels and called when the president said he did not whisky, Mr. Wathen said: "The in- wish to have spelling overshadow put neutral spirits in charred bar- pressed a willingness to revoke his els and brand the product whisky." order for new spelling in case the age are employed in the cotton mills, "How long is the spirit kept in house should go on record as opposed to the system.

Salary Bill Up.

The house also teday reached an agreement under which it tooks as is a great demand for this brand of though there would be a halt on the Education is wholly precluded, and ods, and the distillers always see much mooted question of an increase in the salaries of the members of by close confinement and impure air congress, cabinet officers, etc. Lit- Serious throat affections are preval tauer sought to have the question ent among those who work in cot taken up today, but Underwood ob- ton mills, and the factory child has jected at this stage of the proceed- become a type all too common in the ings. He said that, however, he would south-anemic children of stunted agree to consider the action at the growth—grown old before the age of conclusion of the reading of the bill, fifteen, and when it shall be reported to the

Minimum Pensions. Representative Lacey, of Iowa, in- workers. Boys and girls of fifteen troduced a bill today making \$12 the minimum monthly pension to be paid children, are married and rearing veterans of the war of 1861. Lacey families of frail and sickly children. said the purpose of the bill is to It is appalling to think what the com make the service pension bill un- ing generation will be." necessary.

River and Harbor Bill. Washington, Dec. 14.-The river representatives from the committee enlistment. Of 1,000 successive bill has progressed to a point where hitherto noted for brawn and sinew its total appropriations a sum equal to that of any other river and harand probably will exceed the amount carried by the bill which was talked to death by Senator Carter, of Montana a few years ago. The bill car-

Two Cent Fare Bill. duced in the house today by Representative James Kennedy of Ohio. The bill provides that after July 1,

ried in excess of \$60,000,000.

sell interchangeable, transferable ransportation at the rate of 2 cents mile, but where the cost of transportation exceeds that rate the interstate commerce commission may suspend the law and set a fair and reasonable rate.

Probe Plague Deaths,

In a reply to a resolution adopted today by the senate, asking information into the death of ten persons from plague at Manila, Secretary Taft submitted such information as he had on the subject. The secretary ed by them. The bill also provides says inmates of the Bilibid prison were inoculated with bubonic plague germs in mistake for cholera virus, with which Dr. Richard P. Strong, at one time an army surgeon, and now head of the biological laboratory at Manila, had been experimenting.

Governor Smith in his cabled re port says it is believed the plague culture became mixed with the anticholera serum through the misplace ftor, and states that under his direction a close inquiry is being made to

Almost Jail Delivery.

Bowling Green, Ky., Dec. 14.— A pression of facts. morning by Jailer Nat Curd and Dep- work. uty Jailer Waddle discovering Guy It was recommended that teachers, Lyon sawing through the window principals or school trustees be re-

ence for raping Mary Gladder, in school district, and further recomaccomplice in that deed, the latter acy be raised two years, making it Mr. Bernard Flexner and others took recently granted a new trial, are all sixteen.

Sixth District—M. H. McLean, Cov up other points for discussion.

Seventh District—The Rev. C. R.

come of \$25,000,000 from the rail- was taken up and it was determined are as follows: ays, river boats and forests of India

# BEING DEPLETED

Serious Menace.

Factory Life in England Shown U When General Enlistment Was

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especial supervision of the southern

are one and inseparable," said the speaker, and proved it so by innumerable instances and statistics Through the south not less than 60, 000 children under fourteen years of and frequently parents subsist on the wages of their children, he si "The ranks of paupers, criminals and anarchists are recruited from these children, embittered by early labor the stamina of the race is destroyed

Marry in Childhood,

"Another evil attendant upon this is the early marriages among factory who should be healthy, happy school

Dr. McKelway illustrated the rapid decline of a nation's vitality a brought to light in England after the ms entirely justifiable to assume and harbor appropriation bill must army were so greatly depleted it beby January 10. Word to this effect cases, every man examined was far has just been passed around the below the standard of weight and stat membership of the committee. The ure required in the British army, it is known that it will aggregate in It was shown by investigation that almost without exception this was due to early confinement in mills and facbor bill ever passed by the congress tories. England's cotton mills, he said, are now free from this reproach, No children are employed in that line of trade, which was formerly carried on almost exclusively by the labor of children from five to fifteen years of

> Good Conditions in Germany. 'Far better abandon an industry ntirely," said Dr. McKelway, "if its

operation demands child labor." He referred to the vigor and high standard of German life, where child labor does not exist.

Child Labor Bill,

A bill is before the present session more toward exterminating child labor than any previous enactment. It is presented by Senator Reveridge. and provides that no common carries of interstate commerce shall carry products of any factory or mill where children under fourteen years of age are employed. Further, that the heads or management of corporations or factories shall make affidavit every six months as to whether children under fourteen have been or are employ penalties of fine or imprisonment, or

fight of his life for this bill and although the opposition pronounces it curing its passage.

The statutes bearing on this subject as they now exist in most states are weakened by clauses such as that in

At the close of Dr. McKelway's adto incorporate the association under

able. Several committees were an

President-Mr. Thomas D. Osborne Louisville.

pointed, and officers were chosen as

First Vice-President-Mrs. Charles Bonnycastle Robins Second Vice-President-L. P. Head Paducah.

Third Vice-President-N. H. Mc Lean, Covington. Fourth Vice-President-Dr. H. G. Enclow, Louisville.

Secretary-Mrs. Halleck, Louis-

Treasurer-Mrs. J. B. Judah, Lou-

It was decided to enroll an executive membership of fifty persons dissolicit a large associate membership

Mr. Quarles Makes Address. Mr. Quarles, representative of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' association, was present, and said he wished to assure the meeting that. of congress which if passed will do although his organization might be considered a hostile camp, it was, in fact, in sympathy with their aims, as shown in a recent meeting at the National Association of Manufacturers and Employers, where a resolution was adopted favoring legislation on child labor. Mr. Quarles stated that in this association only one man employs children, and, in that factory. none under fourteen years of age, and that as an organization they had

always favored the present movement He was heartily applauded and the buzz of approbation had not subsided when organized labor was heard from through Mr. Barclay, who declared himself a printer, and one of the committee who had presented and worked unconstitutional he is hopeful of se- to carry the present statute on child labor in Kentucky. Mr. Barclay said:

Age Limit Cut Down.

"As a representative of organized the Kentucky code, that no child un-labor, I am not opposed to co-operatment of one of the bottles by a vis- der fourteen shall be employed in any ing with the organization of employmill or factory "unless he is without ers, but I wish to state a few facts. In means of support," or "unless it be our endeavor to get the present law ascertain the exact nature of the pre- in the handling of fruit, or stemming enacted we were opposed by the ascautions being taken to prevent such of tobacco." Even this law as it sociation of manufacturers, and force stands in many states is not enforced, ed to modify our bill in order to get since there is, in most cases, no fac- it through. They were successful in lington; James F. Rankin, Renderson, tory inspection or a deliberate sup-forcing us to cut down the age limit from sixteen to fourteen years, and holesale jail delivery of the most The affidavits of parents as to the our original eight-hour day was exdesperate lot of prisoners ever con- age of children is insufficient restric- tended to ten by the efforts of that Moorman, Hardinsburg. fined in the Warren county jail was tion, and parents frequently perjure same association. I see no reason narrowly averted at 3 o'clock this themselves to put their children to why we should not work together now George L. Schon, R. W. Bingham, A.

Two of the prisoners, Guy Lyon quested to make affidavit, as a child's called upon to defend his organizations castle Robinson, Mrs. Charles P. and Pope Fletcher, under death sen- age is usually registered in some tion against this attack, which he did Weaver, Mrs. Eleanor Tarrant Little, logan county, and John Sacra, their mended that the age limit of illiter- Mr. Barclay for further speech, as Mrs. J. B. Judah, Louisville.

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The committees as far as they have Hudson, Frankfort; Mrs. Desha dress the business of organization been completed by President Osborne Breckinridge, Lexington; Mrs. A. M. Harrison, Lexington; Senator J.



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